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Commissioner of Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Dear Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, under Rule 136(a), to extend the time to file the Brief on Appeal based upon the Notice of Appeal which was filed on April 25, 2005, with a mail certification dated April 22, 2005, for one month, from JUNE 25, 2005 to JULY 25, 2005. Submitted herewith, under Rule 17(a)(3), is a check in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a Large Entity.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additionally required fee, or to credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 03-2468.

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